



## Columbia Youth (Ages 11-17): 2012 - 2018

		2012		2014		2016		2018	
PERCENTAGE OF YOUTH WHO HAVE		County	State	County	State	County	State	County	State
Ever tried cigarettes		27.0%	21.6%	25.8%	17.5%	18.1%	13.7%	n/a	11.4%
Ever tried cigars		18.6%	16.2%	14.7%	12.8%	9.6%	9.0%	n/a	8.0%
Ever tried smokeless tobacco		11.4%	7.0%	12.8%	6.1%	11.4%	5.0%	n/a	4.4%
Ever tried hookah		7.6%	9.4%	7.8%	14.1%	9.0%	15.4%	n/a	9.3%
Ever tried electronic vaping		7.1%	5.7%	10.1%	14.3%	22.6%	24.5%	n/a	26.3%
Ever tried cigarettes, cigars, or smokeless tobacco		34.3%	27.6%	31.3%	23.4%	24.0%	18.5%	n/a	16.6%
Ever tried cigarettes, cigars, smokeless, hookah, or electronic vaping		36.1%	30.2%	33.5%	30.7%	32.7%	32.8%	n/a	33.1%
PERCENTAGE OF YOUTH WHO									
Currently use cigarettes		8.1%	6.1%	6.9%	4.3%	4.1%	3.0%	n/a	2.2%
Currently use cigars		9.8%	6.5%	5.5%	5.1%	3.7%	3.4%	n/a	3.0%
Currently use smokeless tobacco		5.5%	3.0%	5.9%	3.0%	5.4%	2.2%	n/a	1.7%
Currently use hookah		4.9%	4.1%	3.3%	7.1%	3.4%	4.8%	n/a	3.0%
Currently use electronic vaping		3.8%	2.3%	3.8%	7.2%	12.3%	11.6%	n/a	15.7%
Currently use cigarettes, cigars, or smokeless tobacco		15.5%	11.0%	14.0%	9.0%	9.4%	6.3%	n/a	5.2%
Currently use cigarettes, cigars, smokeless, hookah, or electronic vaping		17.2%	13.1%	16.0%	15.3%	17.9%	16.3%	n/a	19.1%
PERCENTAGE OF YOUTH WHO WERE									
Exposed to secondhand cigarette smoke		51.1%	44.1%	45.6%	37.5%	44.6%	40.0%	n/a	35.4%
Exposed to secondhand electronic vapor smoke		-	-	-	-	26.1%	29.5%	n/a	36.6%
Exposed to secondhand cigarette or electronic vapor smoke		-	-	-	-	51.8%	49.7%	n/a	51.7%
PERCENTAGE OF YOUTH WHO USED									
Cigarettes on school property		3.9%	2.2%	2.6%	1.1%	0.6%	0.6%	n/a	0.5%
Cigars on school property		4.2%	2.1%	2.1%	1.5%	0.8%	0.8%	n/a	0.6%
Smokeless tobacco on school property		3.6%	1.8%	3.5%	1.6%	3.0%	1.0%	n/a	0.7%
Electronic vapors on school property		-	-	2.1%	5.5%	2.9%	2.4%	n/a	4.3%
PERCENTAGE OF YOUTH WHO									
Are committed to never using cigarettes		65.8%	65.7%	67.6%	67.1%	79.8%	80.7%	n/a	86.3%